




Thursday Feb 22 2018



## Upcoming Calendar Dates

Week	Week 4 <small>Newsletter</small>	Week 5 <small>Assembly</small>	Week 6 <small>Newsletter</small>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Feb. 19</b>  Swimming Practice Year 3-6 10am Prep-2 11:30am	<b>Feb. 26</b>	<b>Mar. 5</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>Feb. 20</b> <b>ART VAN</b>  Swimming Practice Year 3-6 10am Prep-2 11:30am	<b>Feb. 27</b>	<b>Mar. 6</b> <b>ART VAN</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Feb. 21</b> <b>Foundation Rest Day</b> <b>ART VAN</b>  <small>Finance Meeting 6pm School Council 6:15pm</small>	<b>Feb. 28</b> <b>Foundation First Wednesday</b>  <b>HEALTHY HAROLD</b> Life Ed Van 	<b>Mar. 7</b> <b>ART VAN</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Feb. 22</b>  Swimming Carnival   <small>Parent Club Sausage sizzle provided (no cost)</small>	<b>Mar. 1</b>  Division Swimming Wangaratta  <b>Dental van for Preps</b>	<b>Mar. 8</b>  <b>It's Story Time</b> 9.30-10.30am 
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Feb. 23</b> <b>Lawn Bowls</b>	<b>Mar. 2</b> <b>Assembly @ 9am</b>  <b>Dental van for Preps</b>  <b>Lawn Bowls</b>	<b>Mar. 9</b> <b>Lawn Bowls</b>

Can you believe we are already through four weeks of school! And what a four weeks it has been.

### SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Today we held our annual swimming carnival. It was great to see so many spectators come down and support the kids. The most important achievement of the day was that all the students did their best and pushed themselves to go in as many events as possible. The winning house of the day was Hume who were very gracious winners. I would like to thank our helpers from Corowa High School for being lane timers and our wonderful Parent Group for organising the free sausage sizzle! We hope to finalise the list of students who have qualified for the division carnival in Wangaratta next Thursday by tomorrow.

### AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Sue is doing a wonderful job of running the after school care program at our school. There are currently spots available during all days of the week. Please note, you can book your child in casually (not every week). This is extremely handy for those weeks when things 'pop up'. If you are interested in using this service, please fill in a copy of the application form available in the office.

### PREP FULL WEEK OF SCHOOL

Just a reminder that next week our preps will attend their first full week of school (here on Wednesday). Good luck Preps!

### DAVID DUNN AND HEALTHY HAROLD

Next week our students have a visit from artist David Dunn and the always popular Healthy Harold! **The \$5 payment for David Dunn is due tomorrow.**

### NIGHTLY READING / READING EGGS

Did you know you can access a digital library on Reading Eggs/ Eggspress? All students should be reading each night, however some students can become quite fatigued by this. Why not use this great program to listen to reading one or two nights a week.

As always if you have any questions or would like to come and have a chat please do so! My door is always open!

Josh Reid—Principal



Next Week's Assembly helpers are:

**Jack and Jazz**

### Parent/Grandparent/Carer Volunteers

Volunteers are an important part of a **school community**. Involvement in schools by parents and carers helps children achieve the best possible learning outcomes. I encourage anyone in the community to come into our school and offer their assistance in a range of areas. You may like to listen to reading, help with math, do some gardening or even teach the children to play chess. Please speak to a classroom teacher or drop into the office and offer your assistance. The more the merrier.

*If you are interested in volunteering you may be asked to apply for a Working with Children (WWC) check.*

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child. The annual CSEF amount per student is: \$125 for primary school students. For more information or to obtain an application form please enquire at the office.

## SCHOOL CANTEEN—WEDNESDAYS

Get your orders in by Tuesday each week!



**Wahgunyah Primary School**

**2018 Canteen Menu**

**\*\* Wednesday \*\***



(prepared and supplied by the Guy Street Cafe, 70 Guy Street, Corowa - phone 6033 2290)

Lunch orders must be placed in the box in the school office **by 12pm Tuesday**, or alternatively can be **dropped into the Guy Street Cafe** prior to 5pm Tuesday

**Please Note: No late orders will be accepted on Wednesday morning.**

<b>Snacks</b>	Fresh Fruit Salad	\$ 3.50
	Jelly Fruit (red or green)	\$ 2.50
<b>Cold Food</b>	Vegetemite / Cheese / Honey	\$ 2.50
	Egg & Lettuce	\$ 4.50
	Ham	\$ 4.00
	Ham & Cheese	\$ 4.50
	Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$ 4.80
	Ham, Cheese & Pineapple	\$ 4.80
	Ham & Pickles	\$ 4.50
	Chicken	\$ 4.00
	Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo	\$ 4.80
	Chicken & Cheese	\$ 4.50
	Ham & Salad Roll	\$ 6.00
	Chicken & Salad Roll	\$ 6.00
	Chicken & Salad Wrap	\$ 6.00
	Ham & Salad Wrap	\$ 6.00
	Sushi (chicken, prawn, crab, salmon)	\$ 3.50
<b>Hot Food</b>	Oven Baked	
	Party Pie	\$ 1.50
	Party Sausage Roll	\$ 1.50
	Large Meat Pie	\$ 4.50
	Large Sausage Roll	\$ 3.00
	Spaghetti Bolognese	\$ 4.00
	Tomato Sauce Sachet	\$ 0.30
	Pizza Muffin: Ham and Cheese	\$ 2.80
	Hawaiian Pizza Muffin: Ham, Cheese & Pineapple	\$ 3.00

## SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS!

**Nominations have now closed for School Council Elections. Next week we will publicise the new members of this extremely important group.**

**Thank you to everyone who expressed an interest.**



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# MRS SAFFRON'S PREP/1 CLASS



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# MR HAY'S 1/2 CLASS



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# MISS T'S 3/4 CLASS



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# MRS BERGIN'S 5/6 CLASS



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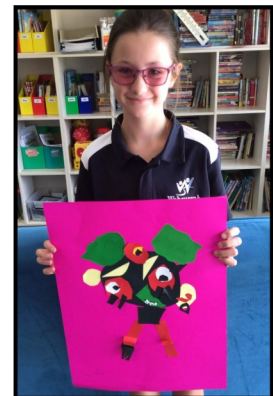
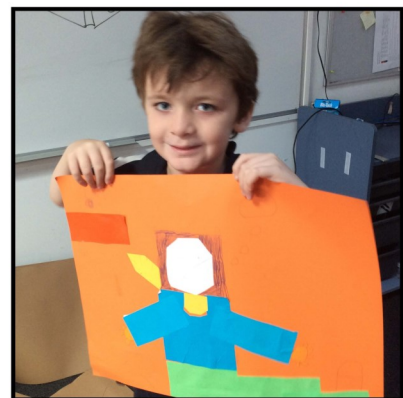
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# ART WITH MISS BURSTON



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## 2018 RUTHERGLEN AUSKICK

### Registrations Now Open

Register online at [www.aflauskick.com.au](http://www.aflauskick.com.au)

#### Age groups-

Midgets- turning 5, 6 or 7 in 2018

9 and under- turning 8 and 9 in 2018

11 and under- turning 10, 11 or 12 in 2018

Game Days are on a Sunday with game times for 9's and 12's at either 10am or 12pm, and all midget games playing at 11am.

#### TRAINING – Wednesdays 4:30-5:30

Midgets to finish around 5-5:15pm

#### REGISTRATION & COME AND TRY 2018 – WEDNESDAY 28<sup>th</sup> MARCH 4:30pm at Barkly Park

Please note all registrations are done online at [www.aflauskick.com.au](http://www.aflauskick.com.au)

Training commences Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April 4:30pm

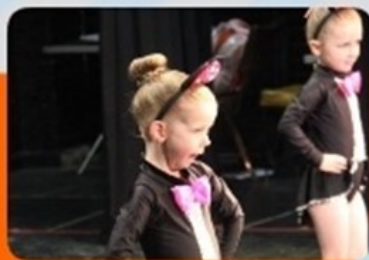
Hannah Whelan Auskick Coordinator 0428204283

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## Recreational Classes Monday Afternoons

**Tinies/ Subbies**  
**(5 - 9 years)**  
**4pm - 5pm**



**Juniors**  
**(10 + years)**  
**5pm - 6pm**

St Mary's School Hall, High St, Rutherglen

### contact information

0436 416 528

[murrayrivercalisthenics@hotmail.com](mailto:murrayrivercalisthenics@hotmail.com)

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5 February 2018

### Media Release: 'Pic of the Crop' Photographic Competition

Calling all young shutterbugs and fans of Tumblr and Instagram. It's time to explore your local gardens and food sources and take part in our **Pic of the Crop** Photographic Competition and Exhibition and in the process be in the running to win cool cash prizes.

"The Centre is proud to be hosting another photographic competition in partnership with the Wangaratta Sustainability Network. We thank Gateway Health for supporting this initiative with funding from the Grow Your Idea grants program. We are also very grateful for sponsorship support from Café Deraillleur and Olive Health", Felicity Williams, CEO of The Centre said.

"The Centre has a long history of being associated with creative expression of our community. This competition is a way for our young people to communicate what they are seeing and perceiving in their community. Our interest this year is in healthy local food. What do our young people see as healthy food? Where do they source it from – where do they go and get it from? What influences them to eat and appreciate healthy local food?"

"The images our young photographers took and entered into the 2016 competition were outstanding. We are very much looking forward to being inspired by a new crop of photographic images that tell the story of our community and its food – which after all is the basis for life, but is so much more".

This Competition is open to young people aged 18 or under who reside in the LGAs of Alpine, Benalla, Indigo, Moira, Strathbogie, Towong, Wangaratta & Wodonga. The best 70 entries received will be exhibited in April and May 2018 in The Centre's Concourse.

There are \$400 in prizes on offer; four category prizes of \$50 each for 10 and under, 11-13yo, 14-15yo and 16-18yo. The entry judged best overall will be awarded the \$100 first prize and there will also be a People's Choice Award worth \$100.

Entrants must be 18yo or under at the closing date which is 23 March 2018, so if you wish to enter or know someone who should, tell them to head along to The Centre's website and click on the following link [www.thecentre.vic.edu.au/photo-comp](http://www.thecentre.vic.edu.au/photo-comp)

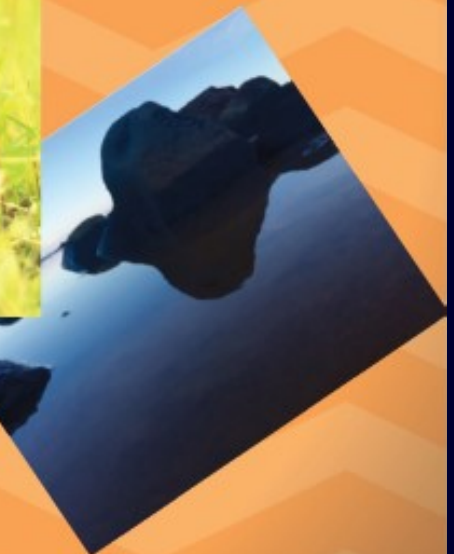
All enquiries regarding the Competition can be directed to Scott Landells at The Centre on 03 5721 0200 or via email [photocomp@thecentre.vic.edu.au](mailto:photocomp@thecentre.vic.edu.au).

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# Pic of the Crop

Photographic Competition  
and Exhibition

\$400 IN PRIZES



OPEN TO YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 18 OR UNDER \*

\* SEE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

[www.thecentre.vic.edu.au](http://www.thecentre.vic.edu.au)

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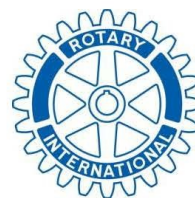
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21<sup>st</sup>



**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

### **Long Event**

**Run 1.5Km, Bike 22Km, Pool swim 200m, Run 3.5Km**

- ⦿ Individual Senior (Open and Veterans) \$30
- ⦿ Open and Veteran Teams \$45

### **Short & Back of the Pack Event**

**Bike 10Km, Pool swim 200m, Run 3.5Km**

- ⦿ Individual Juniors (up to 17yo) \$20
- ⦿ Individual Mini Juniors (12yo or less) \$15
- ⦿ Back of the Pack individual (adults) \$20
- ⦿ Junior Teams (up to 17yo) \$30
- ⦿ Mini Junior Teams (all 12yo or less) \$24
- ⦿ Back of the Pack Teams \$30  
(Adults, group or family)

#### **Prizes**

Over \$1500 in prizes

- ⦿ 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Female and Male in all individual categories
- ⦿ 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in all team categories
- ⦿ 1st Local home Male and Female individual (long event)
- ⦿ Spot prizes

#### **Starting Times**

- ⦿ The event will commence from the Rutherglen Memorial Hall/Pool complex.
- ⦿ Juniors, Mini Juniors and Back of the Pack (Short Event) - 7:45am Briefing, 8:00am Start
- ⦿ Open Categories (Long Event)- 8:45am Briefing, 9:00am Start
- ⦿ Presentations – Short Event - 10:00am, Long Event – 10:30am

Applications can be submitted online at [www.rutherglenrotary.org](http://www.rutherglenrotary.org)

Applications will be accepted on the day

**For further information contact: Steve McIntosh on 0434 185177 or [triathlon@rutherglenrotary.org](mailto:triathlon@rutherglenrotary.org) or [www.rutherglenrotary.org](http://www.rutherglenrotary.org) or <https://www.facebook.com/rutherglenrotary/>**



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# Monster Auction Starts at 6PM

LOTS TO SEE AND DO

DANCING

LIVE MUSIC

PLENTY OF STALLS

PLANTS/CAKES

WHITE ELEPHANT STALL

BARBEQUE/PANCAKES

DRINKS

TEA & COFFEE

GAMES AND PRIZES TO WIN

LOTS MORE TO DO AND RELAX

HAVE A GREAT EVENING

Any Donations are  
most welcome

Come Along and Join us at our  
St John's Anglican Church  
Twilight Fete, Friday 2nd March 2018  
Federation Avenue Corowa 2646  
Fete-Starts at 5-8 pm

Jumping Castle  
Lots of game for the  
Children  
Animals to pet



Face Painting

Corowa & District Netball Association

AGM

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Morris Park, South Corowa

5.30pm Start

Current committee stepping down

Attendance at the meeting = Happy kids playing netball.

No Attendance = End of Competition, sad kids.

So please come along to keep the association running!!

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## Could you be a permanent care parent?

There are a number of children supported by the Department of Health & Human Services who require a *family for life* as they are unable to live with their birth families. We are seeking committed and motivated people who would be interested in learning more about providing a permanent family for a child.

Assistance payments are made to the Permanent Care family to assist with the day to day expenses of caring for a child/young person. Assistance payments are considered to be a reimbursement for expenses and not an earned income.

We are also keen to speak with families who are particularly interested in caring for children aged between 5 and 10 years.

**Information sessions** are being held on:

*Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 6:00pm*  
Department of Health & Human Services  
43-47 Rowan Street, Wangaratta

*Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018 at 6:00pm*  
Department of Health & Human Services  
163-167 Welsford Street, Shepparton

**Bookings not essential. For further information please contact:**  
**Adoption & Permanent Care Program**  
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# David Dunn

## WIRADJURI ARTIST IN SCHOOLS



David Dunn is an award winning, international selling artist with thousands of art pieces distributed around the world. He uses contemporary techniques, based on Indigenous stories built around silhouettes. David's painting style is simple, colourful, intelligent and he is an artist who respects his culture.

Over the past 18 months David had worked in over 100 early childhood centres, primary and high schools.

### Classroom Art Workshops

David instructs the children how to draw basic people by using stick figures. Children use his teaching to complete their own silhouette paintings on canvas boards.

David also runs plant and animal drawing workshops. He can provide boomerang and other tools for students to design and paint.

Sessions can run up to 90 minutes for art workshop and lessons. Up to three sessions/classes in one day. David provides all his own art materials including canvas boards.

### Murals and Story Poles

David enjoys helping schools create individual art works in the form of paintings, murals and story poles which relate to the area.

The mural and story poles become a feature in the playground while the paintings can be displayed inside. Recently David has been creating Acknowledge of Country signs (see middle photo).

### Mentoring

David can provide mentoring programs for students around connection to Country and Aboriginal culture. Please contact us to find out how a mentoring programs could support your students.

*"David is a lovely courteous man who really gets down to the level of the kids."*

- ROSS CIRCUIT PRESCHOOL, LAVINGTON

*"David has been fabulous for our Preschool. He has helped us so much in providing experiences for the children and delivering positive messages to our community about Wiradjuri culture."*

- BURRUMBUTOCK PRESCHOOL

### Bookings & Prices

Owen Dunlop  
Executive Officer, Petaurus Education Group Inc.

E: [owen.dunlop@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:owen.dunlop@det.nsw.edu.au)

Ph: 0412 886 642



DAVID HAS PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE AND A CURRENT WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK FOR BOTH NSW & VIC.

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